

## **DISTRICT 6 2011 OPEN HORSE SHOWS**

### **TO BE HELD AT THE AIRFIELD 4-H CENTER**

SUNDAY - APRIL 17 - JUDGE – CARLA SCARMAZZI

SUNDAY - MAY 15 - JUDGE – ROBIN MOUNTJOY

SUNDAY - JULY 24 (Benefit Show) - JUDGE - LAURIE MADDOX

SUNDAY - SEPTEMBER 11 - JUDGE – VIRGINIA GODWIN

SUNDAY - OCTOBER 30 - JUDGE – LANA AFFEMANN

#### **FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Kathryn Putnam - [KathyVAHA@gmail.com](mailto:KathyVAHA@gmail.com), 757-487-4870,  
or Cecil Flora - 757-803-3446

**BARN MANAGER-** Audrey Seeley - 804-731-0922

### **THESE ARE "RIDE THROUGH THE GATE" SHOWS (see information under General Rules)**

**ENTRIES:** \$7.00 PER CLASS, \$10.00 PER CHAMPIONSHIP CLASS

**SIX RIBBONS PER CLASS. TROPHIES TO CHAMPIONS.**

**WHEN THERE ARE 3 OR MORE ENTRIES IN ANY OF THE 12 UNDER SADDLE  
CHAMPIONSHIP CLASSES, PRIZE MONEY WILL BE AWARDED.**

If 3 horses are entered, The Champion will receive \$10.

If 4 or 5 horses are entered, the Champion will receive \$15, and the Reserve will receive \$5.

If 6 or more horses are entered, the Champion will receive \$20, and the Reserve will receive \$10.

**STALLS:** \$30.00 - HORSE STALLS W/NO BEDDING & TACK STALLS

**SHAVINGS:** \$8.00 PER BAG - if available - call Audrey or Wakefield first

**GROUNDS:** \$3.00 - OUT OF TRAILER FEE PER HORSE

FOR ROOM RESERVATIONS OR CAMPER SPACES, PLEASE MAKE  
ARRANGEMENTS WITH HEATHER LILLY AT AIRFIELD, 757-899-4901.

#### **DIRECTIONS from Rt 460:**

East bound traffic turn right at the light on to Rt 628. West bound traffic turn left at the light on to Rt 628. Go 4 ½ miles and turn right on to Rt 729.

Entrance to Airfield is ¼ mile on the left.

VAHA YOUTH MEMBERS PLAN TO OFFER FOOD FOR SALE.  
PLEASE SUPPORT THEM.

MANY THANKS TO THE NUMEROUS VOLUNTEERS FOR HELPING MAKE THESE  
SHOWS POSSIBLE. WE COULDN'T DO IT WITHOUT YOU!

#### **Morning classes to begin at 9:00 AM**

1. Open Showmanship
2. 2 & Under Halter
3. Arabian/Half-Arabian Halter
4. Open Halter
5. Halter CHAMPIONSHIP
6. Sport Horse In Hand 13 & Over
7. Sport Horse In Hand 6 - 12
8. Sport Horse In Hand 5 & Under
9. Sport Horse In Hand CHAMPIONSHIP
10. Walk/Trot/Jog Pleasure Junior Rider - 1<sup>st</sup> Go

11. Adult Rider Western Go As You Please
12. Junior Rider Hunter/English Go As You Please
13. Junior/Novice Horse Go As You Please
14. Open Hunter/English Go As You Please
15. Walk/Trot/Jog Pleasure Adult Rider – 1<sup>st</sup> Go
16. Open Western Go As You Please
17. Arabian/Half-Arabian Go As You Please
18. Novice Rider Go As You Please
19. Adult Rider Hunter/English Go As You Please
20. Junior Rider Western Go As You Please
21. Sport Horse Under Saddle Open Walk/Trot
22. Leadline - 7 & under - \$3.00 Entry
23. Walk Only Pleasure - 1<sup>st</sup> Year Showing
24. Walk/Trot/Jog Pleasure Junior Rider - 2<sup>nd</sup> Go

## **DEFINITIONS:**

SHOWMANSHIP - Course to be posted.

HALTER CHAMPIONSHIP - NO entry fee. First and second place horses in Classes 2,3,4 to show back in Class 5.

SPORT HORSE IN HAND - To be shown on the triangle. Horses 3 and over must be shown in a bridle. Champion & Reserve (Class 9) to be determined by two highest scores of Classes 6,7,8.

WALK ONLY - ANY TACK TYPE. Riders in their first year of showing. To use half the ring. Casual attire allowed. Headers may be used in the lineup. May not cross enter in to other divisions. Should entries warrant, a Walk Only Championship shall be held following Class 43.

WALK/TROT/JOG - ANY TACK TYPE. Riders in their first year of showing and/or who have not won more than 3 blue ribbons in the previous year. May not cross enter in to any Class which requires a canter/lope. (Does not apply to SH Walk/Trot or Adult 40 & Over.)

GO AS YOU PLEASE – To be shown both ways of the ring at a walk and second gait, which must be the same both ways. (Gaited Horses are welcome.)

EQUITATION - ANY TACK TYPE. At judge's discretion, simple tests may be called for. To be judged on the performance of the rider.

OPEN - Horses and ponies ridden by Juniors or Adults.

HUNTER/ENGLISH - Horses and ponies shown in Hunt Seat tack and attire or in Saddle Seat tack and attire Dressage/Show Hack tack & attire is also allowed.

WESTERN - Horses and ponies shown in Western tack and attire.

## **Lunch - 30 minutes**

### **Afternoon classes begin no earlier than 12:30 PM**

25. Fun Class - \$1.00 Entry (See Below)
26. Sport Horse Under Saddle Adult Rider
27. Sport Horse Under Saddle Junior Rider
28. Adult Rider Western Pleasure
29. Junior Rider Hunter/English Pleasure
30. Junior/Novice Horse Pleasure
31. Walk Only Equitation - 1<sup>st</sup> Year Showing
32. Walk/Trot/Jog Equitation
33. Open Equitation
34. Walk/Trot/Jog Pleasure Adult Rider 40 & Over
35. Sport Horse Under Saddle Junior/Novice Horse
36. Open Hunter/English Pleasure
37. Walk/Trot/Jog Pleasure Adult Rider - 2<sup>nd</sup> Go
38. Open Western Pleasure
39. Arabian/Half-Arabian Pleasure
40. Novice Rider Pleasure
41. Adult Rider Hunter/English Pleasure
42. Junior Rider Western Pleasure
43. Sport Horse Under Saddle Open
44. Walk/Trot/Jog Junior Rider CHAMPIONSHIP (10,24)
45. Adult Rider Western CHAMPIONSHIP (11,28)

46. Junior Rider Hunter/English CHAMPIONSHIP (12,29)
47. Junior/Novice Horse CHAMPIONSHIP (13,30)
48. Open Hunter/English CHAMPIONSHIP (14,36)
49. Walk/Trot/Jog Adult Rider CHAMPIONSHIP (15,37)
50. Open Western CHAMPIONSHIP (16,38)
51. Arabian/Half-Arabian CHAMPIONSHIP (17,39)
52. Novice Rider CHAMPIONSHIP (18,40)
53. Adult Rider Hunter/English CHAMPIONSHIP (19,41)
54. Junior Rider Western CHAMPIONSHIP (20,42)
55. Sport Horse Under Saddle CHAMPIONSHIP (21,26,27,35,43)

ADULT RIDER - Horses and ponies ridden by Adults age 18 and over.

JUNIOR RIDER - Horses and ponies ridden by Juniors age 17 and under as per USEF Rules.

NOVICE RIDER - ANY TACK TYPE. Riders in their first year of showing at the canter/lope and/or who have not won three blue ribbons in the discipline shown while showing at the canter/lope.

JUNIOR/NOVICE HORSE - ANY TACK TYPE (Except Sport Horse Junior/Novice Horse). Horses and ponies age 5 and under and/or horses and ponies which have not won three blue ribbons in the discipline shown.

ARABIAN/HALF-ARABIAN - ANY TACK TYPE in performance classes. Horses must be registered with appropriate registry, and a copy of papers must be filed with the show office.

SPORT HORSE UNDER SADDLE - Horses and ponies shown in Hunter or Dressage tack and attire. Kimberwick bits are not allowed.

FUN CLASS - \$1 Entry - Winner take all. April - Egg & Spoon; May - Parent's Leadline; July - Simon Says; September - Ride-a-Buck; October - Halloween Costume.

## GENERAL RULES & REGULATIONS

Entering the Show Grounds constitutes an agreement that you will not hold the owners or employees of the Wakefield 4-H Center, or the Virginia Arabian Horse Association and its members, responsible for any loss or injury occurring at these Shows.

A COPY OF NEGATIVE COGGINS DATED WITHIN 12 MONTHS MUST BE PRESENTED UPON ARRIVAL, AND MUST BE LEFT AT THE SHOW OFFICE. Overnighters must mail 7 days in advance.

THIS IS A RIDE THROUGH THE GATE SHOW. Simply come to the Show Office, fill out an entry blank, sign a waiver, and leave a signed blank check or a minimum of \$100 cash. Then receive your back number and just ride through the gate in each class you are eligible for. When you are finished showing, come to the Show Office to settle your account.

A 1-minute gate call and a 3-minute tack change hold will be enforced. The Show Management reserves the right to combine, divide, add, cancel or delay classes as necessary.

All classes (except 3, 17, 39, 51) are open to horses and ponies of all breeds. A copy of registration papers is required for horses entered in classes restricted to Arabs and Half-Arabs. Except where noted, all classes are open to any age rider. Adults may ride ponies.

Except where noted, all Under Saddle classes will be judged at a walk, trot/jog and canter/lope. The strong/extended trot and hand gallop will NOT be called for in any class, however Sport Horse exhibitors may be asked to collect or lengthen the gait at the discretion of the judge. In all of the pleasure type of classes, manners are paramount.

To be eligible to enter a Performance Championship Class, you must have entered and been judged in at least one of the corresponding qualifying classes in that division as noted. **Prize money to be paid as follows: 3 entries - \$10 to CH; 4 or 5 entries - \$15 to CH & \$5 to RC; 6 or more entries - \$20 to CH & \$10 to RC.** To be paid/credited at checkout.

RIDERS IN WALK/TROT/JOG CLASSES MAY NOT CROSS-ENTER INTO ANY CLASS WHICH REQUIRES A CANTER. They may enter GAYP classes (if eligible) provided they trot/jog when go-as-you-please is called for. (Exceptions - SH Walk/Trot and Adult 40 & Over.)

Riders in the Leadline Class or Walk Only Classes may not ride in any other class. (Note: they may ride in the October Costume Class providing Leadline riders are led.)

The decision of the judge is final.

Horses with USEF legal training equipment may be entered in a class, but will not be judged, providing advance notification is provided to the Show Office.

Hardhats are required for all hunt seat riders while mounted.

The Show Committee feels very strongly about maintaining a fun Show as well as a safe and abuse-free atmosphere during the Show. Harsh and severe treatment of animals will not be tolerated. Good-will and sportsmanship are essential for a fun and safe show for all. The Show Management reserves the right to bar any animal, exhibitor, owner or spectator for conduct not in the best interest of the Show. All dogs must be kept on a leash, or they will be removed from the grounds. (Wakefield rule - actually, they prefer you leave dogs home.)

## STALL RESERVATION FORM

### VAHA DISTRICT 6 OPEN HORSE SHOW WAKEFIELD, VA

Please make copies of this form for future use before mailing.

THE STALL RESERVATIONS BELOW ARE FOR THE HORSE SHOW ON:

PLEASE CIRCLE ONE: Apr May July Sept Oct

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE # \_\_\_\_\_

PLEASE STABLE WITH \_\_\_\_\_

SPECIAL REQUEST \_\_\_\_\_

**RESERVATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED 7 DAYS PRIOR TO THE SHOW.**

Stalls will be assigned on a first paid, first assigned basis.

# \_\_\_\_\_ **Horse Stalls with no bedding** @ \$30 \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ **Tack stalls** @ \$30 \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ **Bags of Shavings (if available) @ \$8.00 each** \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**NOTE: If you need overnight stabling, you MUST contact our Barn Manager at least one week prior to the Show to receive stall assignments and directions on how to check in at Wakefield. Overnight stalls MUST be paid for in advance, AND check MUST be accompanied by a current negative Coggins.**

Additional shavings may be available on the grounds for \$8/bag.

A \$3.00 per horse grounds fee will be charged at the Show for horses shown out of trailer to help offset Wakefield's rising costs.

**PAYMENT MUST ACCOMPANY FORM TO BE ASSIGNED STALLS.  
MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO VAHA DISTRICT 6 AND REMIT TO:**

**AUDREY SEELEY, 1112 WHITE MARSH RD, WAKEFIELD, VA 23888  
804-731-0922**